

Docket No.: 2565-0236P
(PATENT)**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:
Toru SORIMACHI et al.

Allowed: September 29, 2006

Application No.: 09/936,570

Confirmation No.: 8713

Filed: December 6, 2001

Art Unit: 2134

For: ENCRYPTOR, ENCRYPTING METHOD,
DECRYPTOR, DECRYPTING METHOD,
AND COMPUTER READABLE
RECORDING MEDIUM HAVING
PROGRAM STORED THEREIN

Examiner: E. C. Tran

REQUEST FOR TELEPHONIC INTERVIEWCommissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

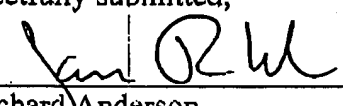
Sir:

Applicant requests Examiner to call Applicant's representative, Jason Rhodes, at (703) 208-4011 to conduct a telephonic interview. Attached is an Applicant Initialed Request form containing Applicant's request.

Dated: February 26, 2007

Respectfully submitted,

By

for  # 47,305
D. Richard Anderson

Registration No.: 40,439

BIRCH, STEWART, KOLASCH & BIRCH, LLP

8110 Gatehouse Road

Suite 100 East

P.O. Box 747

Falls Church, Virginia 22040-0747

(703) 205-8000

Attorney for Applicant

Birch, Stewart, Kolasch & Birch, LLP

DRA/JWR/cln

Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 09/936,570 First Named Applicant: Sorimachi
 Examiner: Ellen Tran Art Unit: 2134 Status of Application: Withdrawn from issue

Tentative Participants:

(1) Jason Rhodes (2) _____
 (3) _____ (4) _____

Proposed Date of Interview: _____ Proposed Time: _____ (AM/PM)

Type of Interview Requested:

(1) ☒ Telephonic (2) ☐ Personal (3) ☐ Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES ☐ NO

If yes, provide brief description: _____

Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) <u>IDS</u>	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(2) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(3) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
(4) _____	_____	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

☐ Continuation Sheet Attached

Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

Applicants will be forwarding new references cited by the JPO in the corresponding Japanese application as indicated in the attached IDS. The Examiner is requested to refrain from issuing another action before considering these references.

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on _____.

NOTE: This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature

Jason Rhodes

Typed/Printed Name of Applicant or Representative

47,305

Registration Number, if applicable

Examiner/SPE Signature

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.133. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 21 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.